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SHIP HOSTILE ACTION REPORT (SHAR)

NIMA HAS SHAR PROCEDURES TO DISSEMINATE INFORMATION WITHIN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ON HOSTILE OR POTENTIALLY HOSTILE ACTIONS AGAINST U.S. MERCHANT SHIPS. SHIPMASTERS SHOULD SEND A SHAR MESSAGE TO NIMA BY WHATEVER MEANS AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY HAVE ENCOUNTERED HOSTILE ACTIONS OR BECOME AWARE OF POTENTIAL HOSTILE ACTIONS WHICH CONSTITUTE A DANGER TO SHIPPING. SEE SECTION III.